

## REMARKS

### RECAPITULATION OF THE CLAIMS

For the convenience of the Examiner, set forth below is a recapitulation of the current status of the claims in the present Application

Claim	Status	Dependency
1	Previously presented Allowed	Independent
2	Previously presented Allowed	1
3	Previously presented Allowed	2
4	Previously presented Allowed	2
5	Previously presented Allowed	4
6	Previously presented Allowed	1
7	Previously presented Allowed	1
8	Previously presented Allowed	19
9	Previously presented Allowed	19
10	Previously presented Allowed	Independent
11	Previously presented Allowed	10
12	Previously presented Allowed	10
13	Previously presented Allowed	10
14	Previously presented Allowed	2
15	Previously presented Allowed	2
16	Canceled	1

17	Previously presented Allowed	2
18	Previously presented Allowed	Independent
19	Previously presented Allowed	Independent
20	Previously presented Allowed	Independent

Comments of Primary Examiner GROSZ have been reviewed carefully along with pertinent sections of the Patent Act, Patent Rules, the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure as well as the relevant decisional law. The Application has been amended in accordance with Primary Examiner GROSZ's requirements and favorable reconsideration is solicited earnestly.

Claims 1-15 and 17-20 have been allowed.

Claim 16 has been rejected.

Claim 16 has been canceled.

A Petition requesting a two month extension in the time for response to the Office Letter dated July 30 2004 to and including December 30, 2004 and a check in the amount of \$215.00 covering the fee are enclosed.

The application has been amended in accordance with Primary Examiner Grosz's requirements and favorable consideration of the application, as amended, is solicited earnestly.

Claim 16 has been canceled. Claims 1-15 and 17-20 have been allowed and a Notice of Allowance on the Application is respectfully requested.

Courtesy, cooperation and skill of Primary Examiner GROSZ are appreciated.

Respectfully,



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Petition  
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